

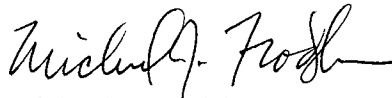
**REMARKS**

Applicant herewith cancels originally filed claims 1 through 34, and adds new claims 35-60. Accordingly, claims 35-60 are now pending, of which claims 35, 49, and 50 are independent claims.

In the event that the Examiner finds impediment to a prompt allowance of this application that may be clarified through a telephone interview, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney.

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